

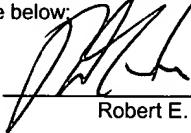
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

*In re* Application of:

Hongtao YU *et al.*

Serial No.: 09/845,612

Filed: April 30, 2001

For: A CLASS OF 12MER PEPTIDES THAT  
INHIBIT THE FUNCTION OF THE  
MITOTIC CHECK POINT PROTEIN  
MAD2

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: S. Huff

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
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This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on July 29, 2003 for which the date for response is October 29, 2003. It is believed that no fee is due; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to this document, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct said fees from Fulbright & Jaworski L.L.P.

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